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SUBJECT: PROPOSED S-61 HELICOPTER PRODUCTION

1. A REQUEST BY SIKORSKY FOR A PRELIMINARY COMMITMENT FOR THE SALE AND PRODUCTION OF 100 HELICOPTERS IN COOPERATION WITH TEHNOIMPORT, WAS DENIED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EXIMBANK. REASON FOR DECISION WAS THAT THIS 5-YEAR PROGRAM COSTING IN THE RANGE OF DOLS 100 MILLION RELATIVELY TOO NONPRODUCTIVE FOR EXIMBANK TO FINANCE, CONSIDERING THE AMOUNT OF FINANCING THAT BANK WILL BE CALLED UPON TO DO FOR MORE PRODUCTIVE PROJECTS AND ENTERPRISES IN ROMANIA.

2. EXIMBANK DETERMINATION WAS EXPLAINED TO SIKORSKY REPRESENTATIVES WHO INDICATED THEY MAY PROPOSE A SCALED-DOWN VERSION AT A LATER DATE. ALTHOUGH EXIMBANK IS NOT DISPOSED TO APPROVE EVEN A LESS AMBITIOUS PROGRAM, CURRENT EMBASSY VIEWS ON SALE AND PRODUCTION

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OF THE HELICOPTERS INVITED BY EXIMBANK. ROGERS

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